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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Akiko MIYAKAWA, et al.

Serial No. 09/995,832

Group Art Unit: 1772

Confirmation No. 9732

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Examiner: Catherine A. SIMONE

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PROCESS THEREOF, AND OPTICAL ARTICLE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed July 19, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on October 19, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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